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New Mexico demands statehood of the 37th congress.

## CALL FOR A REPUBLICAN TERRITORIAL CONVENTION.

A delegate convention of the republican voters of New Mexico is hereby called to meet in the city of Raton at 11 o'clock in the morning of Friday, the 10 day of October, A. D. 1902, for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate from New Mexico to the fifty-eighth congress, and to transact such other business as may properly come before said convention.

The republican electors of this territory and all who believe in the principles of the republican party and in its policies as announced in the national republican platform adopted by the republican national convention, held in the city of Philadelphia, June 19, 1900, and who believe in and endorse statehood for the territory of New Mexico and favor an honest, fair and just administration of public affairs in this territory are respectfully and cordially asked to unite under this call and to take part in the selection of delegates to the territorial convention.

The several counties will be entitled to representation as follows:

County.	Delegates.
Bernalillo.	22
Chaves.	3
Colfax.	3
Dona Ana.	6
Eddy.	2
Grant.	7
Guadalupe.	3
Lincoln.	3
Luna.	3
McKinley.	3
Mora.	3
Otero.	3
Rio Arriba.	10
San Juan.	2
San Miguel.	17
Santa Fe.	10
Sierra.	2
Socorro.	2
Taos.	7
Union.	5
Valencia.	12

Alternates will not be recognized. Proxies will only be recognized if held by the citizens of the same county from which delegates giving proxies were elected.

County conventions must be held on or before the 6th day of October, 1902. County committees will take proper action and call county conventions at such time and places as they may deem best or on that date.

The chairmen and secretaries of the county conventions are earnestly requested to forward true notice of the proceedings of said conventions and of the names of such delegates as may be elected to the republican county convention to the secretary of this committee by next mail after the call of such convention, addressing the same to Santa Fe, N. M.

Where there are no regular organized county committees the members of this committee are authorized and directed to perform the duties of the county committee and act accordingly.

FRANK A. HUBBELL,  
Chairman Republican Central Committee.

Attest: JOSE D. SENA, Secretary.

Has anybody been heard to complain of the prospects for the next year in New Mexico? If anybody has, put him out.

THERE is no accounting for genius—or for Kansas. The latest from the sunflower state is that the farmers are playing a huge practical joke on the money-lenders by paying mortgages before they are due.

REV. SAM SMALL went up to Vermont to campaign for the prohibitionists and immediately proceeded to get gloriously drunk. Possibly the Reverend Sam thought his arguments against the evils of intemperance might best be enforced by a practical example.

AN El Paso paper announces the arrival of a steamboat from down the Rio Grande. Is this statement a joke, or is it another sample of El Paso argument against the Elephant Butte dam? The statement should be carefully labeled for the benefit of the supreme court of the United States.

LOCAL politicians are still practicing strategy. How the issue will finally be joined no man can foretell. From present indications, however, it is safe to predict that if two straight

tickets are put into the field there will at once be something doing worth the while. Meantime it is well to remember that Socorro county is republican and that if the right sort of a ticket is made up the republican majority of two years ago will be considerably increased.

THE New Mexico School of Mines began another year's work Monday with the largest first day's enrollment in the history of the institution. This fact is gratifying but there is another fact that is still more gratifying, that is that the percentage of technical students is unusually large. Several of these come from a distance and it is positively known that others will come in the near future. The outlook for a successful year at the School of Mines was never as bright as now.

THE CHIEFTAIN ventures to suggest to the city authorities that a good way to collect a little revenue and at the same time to rid the city of the pest of a multitude of dogs is to levy a dog tax. The plan is being tried in other cities of the territory with excellent results in both respects. If a man has a valuable dog he does not object to paying a small tax on the animal. If he has a worthless dog both he and the community are profited by the animal's taking off.

It is one year since Theodore Roosevelt became president of the United States. During that time he has gone about things in a breezy, energetic, perhaps impulsive fashion that has made him very popular. He has sometimes failed of his purpose but even his conduct in face of his failures has won the admiration of the mass of American citizens. On the whole President Roosevelt's administration thus far has been satisfactory and as far as present indications go that fact will be attested by the president's nomination to succeed himself.

THERE is a general sentiment that Hon. Bernard S. Rodey has merited a renomination at the hands of his party and the sentiment is abundantly justified. Mr. Rodey has been a tireless champion of every measure introduced into congress in the interest of New Mexico. His zeal in behalf of statehood, the cause by far the most vital to the territory, has won him a national reputation. If the faithful, energetic performance of public service ever entitles a man to the reward of a renomination, it assuredly has done so in the case of Mr. Rodey.

ONE distinguished United States senator says that in democratic times there are no strikes, because there are several men looking for every job; but that in republican times there are strikes, because there are several jobs looking for every man. Another distinguished senator has said that it would be possible to destroy great industrial combinations by act of congress just as it would be possible to destroy the thistles by setting fire to the wheat field. It appears after all that a United States senator may possibly possess other qualifications than those estimated in terms of dollars and cents.

In an address to the summer students of the university of Chicago Prof. E. Benjamin Andrews argued in favor of marriage by saying that recent desperados and crooks were unmarried. Professor Andrews is illogical. Would he advise desperados and crooks to marry? Besides, the fact is that the married desperados and crooks vastly outnumber the unmarried. "And then look at our great men—Washington, Lincoln, Grant, McKinley—a close examination will reveal that they were all married," continues the learned Professor. True, but a closer examination

will also reveal that two of them were assassinated and the other two died. Thus a man who marries to become great risks an awful fate. Professor Andrews doubtless failed to appreciate the full force of his own argument.

## An All-American Cable.

THE bill for the construction of a government-owned Pacific cable was rejected by congress last June; but the plans of the Commercial Pacific Cable company for constructing a line on its own account from San Francisco to Manila, by way of Honolulu, the Midway Island and Guam, are well matured, and the cable steamer Silvertown is already on her way from London to San Francisco, to begin the laying of the cable.

Under the conditions imposed by the President, subject to the action of congress, the United States will have almost as complete control over this cable as if the government owned it. It will have priority for its business at its own rates, full control of the cable in war time, and the right to buy the cable at any time at a fairly appraised valuation.

The most important stipulation is that the cable shall touch at no other than American territory, and that the company shall construct a line from the Philippines to China, and operate it independently of all foreign companies.

At present there is no cable communication with Hawaii, and the only line which connects the Philippines with the outside world is one operated between Manila and Hongkong by a British company. Great Britain, with the aid of Canada and Australia, is already laying a Pacific cable which will be "all British," and have all its stations on British soil. Germany and Holland have arranged for the joint construction of a Pacific cable connecting them with their Asiatic possessions, independently of the British companies.

An "all-American" cable is almost a necessity for the United States, for in time of war especially it is important that national business by cable shall not be subject to eavesdropping.—Youth's Companion.

## The Army in the Philippines.

THE reduction of the military forces in the Philippines continues, notwithstanding the demands which may be made in the suppression of the Moros, who frequently make attacks on American authority. The army in the islands, which was about 70,000 at the end of 1900, which was cut down to about 32,000 at the end of 1901, and which was 22,000 on July 4, 1902, at the time the President's proclamation was issued establishing a civil regime in the islands, and giving freedom to all political prisoners who would take an oath of allegiance to the United States, will be reduced to 1,800 in a month or two, under present plans.

It is to be hoped that the situation in the Philippines can stand this sweeping reduction in the number of the American soldiers in them. The American people, of course, want to see the army in the islands cut down to the lowest practicable point compatible with safety. Presumably the war department officials have taken counsel with the military chiefs on the ground before issuing orders for these wholesale withdrawals of troops. The average intelligent layman, however, is apt to think that the cut has gone too far already, and that it would be better to leave a larger force in the islands until the Moros are effectually dealt with and all the other malcontent elements, if there are any, brought to thorough subjection.

The conquest of the islands has been accomplished in a much shorter time than at the outset of the Aguinaldo war in 1899 was deemed probable. Predic-

tions were made just after the rising against the Americans in the early weeks of that year that a war lasting a generation was in store for the United States, and that even then pacification could not be relied on. Happily, these prognostications were shown to be exaggerations. Luzon and the rest of the islands, except the locality occupied by the Moros, seem to be docile at the present time, though, of course, there is a possibility that disorder may come after the removals of the soldiers which are now under way. This is a matter which the administration at Washington must have given careful attention to. At the present time the situation in the Philippines is fairly satisfactory to the American people.—Globe-Democrat.

## Why the Cabinet Should Talk.

SOME criticism of President Roosevelt is heard because several members of his cabinet are to talk in the canvass. It was reported a few weeks ago that he had requested all his cabinet who were orators to take the stump. That story may or may not have been true. Probably it was not true. The President was condemned, just the same, by democratic papers on account of the report. Some republican papers, too, said that members of the administration should take no part in the canvass.

It is because they are part of the administration that the cabinet officers should make addresses in an important canvass if they feel like doing so. They know the administration's policy, and can be relied on to present it truthfully and intelligently. The case of Secretary Shaw will show how a cabinet officer can give the country information which it wants, but which it could not get reliably from any other source. The secretary has made several speeches in Maine and Vermont. He will make more speeches in other states between now and the first Tuesday in November. In all of them he has told the country something which it was anxious to learn.

The country has learned, for example, from the head of the treasury that there is not the slightest probability that the administration will urge any tariff revision this year or next. Secretary Shaw did not say this directly, but the way he referred to the recent Iowa platform deliverance regarding the tariff and his presentation of his own views on the subject of general tariff revision makes this point clear. It was well known, of course, that the secretary would be impressed by the tariff expression of his own state if any republican was, but it seems now that he was not. It is understood that the secretary voices the view of the President on this subject. The cabinet is likely to be in entire harmony on such an important question as tariff revision. All the cabinet officers who are orators ought to be encouraged to take the stump and make a few speeches before the campaign ends. The country would be glad to hear them, for they represent the administrative end of the government, and the administration has a good deal of influence in determining the government's policy.—K. C. Journal.

## Owes His Life to a Neighbor's Kindness.

MR. D. P. Daugherty, well known throughout Mercer and Sumner counties, W. Va., most likely owes his life to the kindness of a neighbor. He was almost hopelessly afflicted with diarrhoea; was attended by two physicians who gave him little, if any, relief, when a neighbor learning of his serious condition, brought him a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which cured him in less than twenty-four hours. For sale by A. E. Howell, Socorro; W. M. Borrowdale, Magdalena.



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